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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the accompanying information is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Applicants request consideration of the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449. These documents include a German patent document and an English-language counterpart thereof.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited is enclosed.

The specification provides a statement of relevance for DE 3 810 140. In addition, Weitemeyer et al. U. S. Patent No. 4,963,438 is cited to serve as an English translation.

This statement and accompanying Form PTO-1449 and documents are being submitted within three (3) months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later. Since these papers are being filed within the time period set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), no fee or statement is required.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider this statement and cited documents and that an Examiner-initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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